



## KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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# **Pilot Delivery of G-289/290/291 Train-the-Trainer (New Curriculum) July 21 - 24, 2015**

**KYEM Training Center (aka "old" CEOC)  
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### **Course Description:**

This thirty-two (32) hour delivery will consist of three Train-the-Trainer PIO courses. The Public Information Awareness Course (G289) is designed to familiarize participants with the concepts underlying the PIO role. This course will introduce the participants to the public information function and the role of the PIO in the public safety/emergency management environment. The Basic Public Information Officer Course (G290) is designed to prepare participants to function as full- or part-time PIOs. This training will include oral and written communications, understanding and working with the media, and basic tools and techniques needed to perform effectively. The Joint Information System/Joint Information Center Planning for Tribal, State and Local PIOs (G291) is designed to Equip PIOs with the knowledge and skills needed to establish and operate a JIS/JIC and impart a working knowledge of operational practices for performing PIO duties within the NIMS multiagency coordination system.

### **Student Criteria:**

These courses are intended for select Emergency Management, Rescue, Fire, Emergency Medical, and Law Enforcement personnel or any organization having public information responsibilities as their main job or as an auxiliary function at the Federal, State, local, tribal, or territorial level of government, and in the private and nongovernmental sectors. Elected and other officials (like dispatchers, receptionists, etc.) who may work with PIOs or with the news media during an incident or have initial media contact outside an incident through the course of their job are also encouraged to submit their interest.

### **Special Notes:**

PRE-REQUISITES: IS-29 OR PREVIOUS VERSION OF G290. A MINIMUM # fifteen (15) advance student registrations is REQUIRED and must be received by **July 13, 2015** in order to conduct these courses. Maximum registrations are 25 students. You are considered accepted as a student in this class upon receipt of your application by this office so you will not receive a letter acknowledging that acceptance. Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will *NOT* be reimbursed by KYEM.

### **Registration:**

Registration application for the course can be completed using the following link: <http://bit.ly/KYEMTraining2015> and click on register. Students will be notified via e-mail if the course is cancelled. For this reason, **it is imperative that you provide accurate email and contact information individually, and not as a group.**

### **For more information, contact:**

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